

Construction of a road from Nemmara to Kalchadi.

74. Mr. R. Viswanathan Chettiar.—Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(i) how many acres of single, double crop lands, parambas including gardens exist between the following boundaries:—

North	Vithanasseri Main Road
East	Nelliampathy Ghaut Road
South	Nelliampathy Hills
West	Olipara Road;

(ii) is there a road in existence between the above boundaries;

(iii) what is the total population in the above area;

(iv) are there any proposals from the Road Board Committee to construct a road through the middle of the above boundaries commencing from Nemmara up to Kalchadi?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon.—

(i) (a) Single crop 780·27½ acres.

(b) Double crop 2234·23½ acres.

(c) Parambas including gardens 3560·81½ acres.

(ii) No.

(iii) 8,000 roughly.

(iv) Yes.

മിസ്റ്റർ ആർ. വിശ്വനാഥൻ ചെട്ടിയാർ.— എല്ലാ സ്ഥലങ്ങളിലും വിളവു കൊണ്ടുവരാൻ റോഡുകളുണ്ടോ?

മിസ്റ്റർ വി. കെ. അരവിന്ദാക്ഷമേനോൻ.— അതിനു മറുപടി ഇതിൽതന്നെ പറഞ്ഞിട്ടുണ്ട്.

മിസ്റ്റർ ആർ. വിശ്വനാഥൻ ചെട്ടിയാർ.— കഴിയുന്ന വേഗത്തിൽ റോഡുകളുണ്ടാക്കാമോ?

മിസ്റ്റർ വി. കെ. അരവിന്ദാക്ഷമേനോൻ.— റോഡുബോർഡിൽ ഈ വിഷയം ആലോചനയ്ക്ക് വന്ന ശേഷം അവരുടെ അഭിപ്രായപ്രകാരം ചെയ്യുവാൻ വിരോധമില്ല.

Pure water supply for Kadavanthara, Chilavannur and Punithura.

75. Mr. A. Narayana Menon.—Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(1) are there any public wells either in Chilavannur, Kadavanthra or in Punithura to supply pure water to the inhabitants of those places; if so, where;

(2) do the Government know that in summer months the inhabitants of these places undergo considerable hardship on account of the scarcity of pure water;

(3) are license fees collected from any of the places by the Ernakulam Municipality or the Public Health Department; if so, from what class of persons;

(4) what cost, if any, will be required for supplying pipe water to these areas;

(5) is there any immediate prospect for the inhabitants to get redress from the hardship;

(6) was there any request from any of the aforesaid places for supply of pipe water; if so, when and from which places; what orders were passed on the same?

Mr. V. K. Aravindakshan Menon.— (1) Yes, one in Kadavanthara near temple, another in Punithura at Vyttila near tri-junction. No well in Chilavannur.

(2) Yes, to some extent in certain years when there are not timely rains.

(3) Yes, from persons engaged in dangerous and offensive trades.

(4) and (5) The question of extending pipe system beyond town limits can be considered only after the quantity of water which can be taken from the Alwaye river is got increased and the existing pipe line changed to one of a larger size.

(6) There were requests from Kadavanthara, Chilavannur and Ernakulam in 1108 and 1109. The parties were informed that the question would be considered only after the supply systems were fully developed and that it was impossible to extend the distribution system to new areas with the present supply.

Mr. A. Narayana Menon.— Was any action taken to get an increased supply of Alwaye water and also for enlarging the existing pipe line?

Mr. V. K. Aravindakshan Menon.— Estimates are being prepared and the question is under consideration.